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**Mail Stop Patent Application**

**New U.S. Patent Application**

**Title:** CHIMERIC MOLECULES CONTAINING A MODULE ABLE TO  
TARGET SPECIFIC CELLS AND A MODULE REGULATING THE  
APOPTOGENIC FUNCTION OF THE PERMEABILITY  
TRANSITION PORE COMPLEX (PTPTC)

being a Continuation of PCT International  
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Dear Sirs:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office under 35 U.S.C. 111(a) as a **Continuation** application of PCT International Application No. PCT/EP02/01633 filed February 1, 2002, which claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/265,594, filed February 2, 2001.

1. Application 54 pages, including 2 independent claims and 43 claims total.
2. Drawings 35 sheets of formal drawings containing 35 figures.
3. The filing fee is calculated as follows:

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Applicants claim the benefit of priority of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/265,594, filed February 2, 2001.

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Please accord this application a serial number and filing date to the undersigned.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Sincerely,

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